

PREFERRED PLANTS FOR BUTTERFLY GARDEN

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	FLOWERING	HEIGHT	COLOR	PLANT SPACING	TYPE	LOCATION
New England Aster	<i>Symphotrichum novae-angliae</i>	Aug - Oct	3-6'	Purple	24-36"	Host	S/PS - W/MD
Calico Aster	<i>Symphotrichum lateriflorum</i>	Aug - Oct	2-3'	White	18-36"	Host	S/SH - MW/MD
Smooth Blue Aster	<i>Symphotrichum laeve</i>	Aug - Oct	1.5-4'	Blue	18-24"	Host	S/PS - MW/MD
Wild Bergamot (Beebalm)	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Jun - Sept	4'	Purple	24-36"	Nectar	S/PS - MW/D
Scarlet Beebalm	<i>Monarda didyma</i>	Jun - Sept	2-5'	Red	18-24"	Nectar	
Blackeyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	May - Sept	3'	Yellow	10-12"	Nectar	S/PS - MW/MD
Marsh Blazing Star	<i>Liatris spicata</i>	Jul - Sept	5'	Purple	12-24"	Nectar	S/PS - W/M
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Blue Mistflower	<i>Eupatorium coelestinum</i>	Jul - Nov	2'	Blue	12"	Nectar	PS - MW/MD
Boneset	<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>	Jun - Oct	4'	White	12-24"	Nectar	S/PS - W/MW
Buttonbush	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Jun - Aug	15'	White	3-4'	Nectar	S/PS - W/MW
Butterfly Weed	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	May - Aug	2'	Orange	12-36"	N & H	S/PS - M/D
Cardinal Flower	<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>	Jul - Oct	4'	Red	6-16"	Nectar	S/PS - W/MW
Carolina Jessamine	<i>Gelsemium sempervirens</i>	Mar - Apr	Vine		12-36"	Nectar	
Clematis (Virgin's Bower)	<i>Clematis virginiana</i>	Jul - Sept	Vine	White	3-4'	Nectar	S/PS - MW/M
Purple Coneflower	<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	Jul - Sept	4'	Purple	18-24"	Nectar	S/PS - MW/MD
Orange Coneflower	<i>Rudbeckia fulgida</i>	Jul - Sept	3'	Orange	12-24"	Nectar	S/PS - MW/MD
Common Milkweed	<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	Jun - Aug	3'	Pink	24-36"	N & H	S/PS - MW/D
Rough-stemmed Goldenrod	<i>Solidago rugosa</i>	Aug - Oct	3'	Yellow	24-30"	Nectar	S - MW/W
Narrow-leaved Goldenrod	<i>Solidago stricta</i>	Jul - Oct	4'	Yellow	24-36"	Nectar	S - MD
Blue-stemmed Goldenrod	<i>Solidago caesia</i>	Aug - Oct	3'	Yellow	24-36"	Nectar	PS/SH - M/MD
New York Ironweed	<i>Vernonia noveboracensis</i>	Jul - Sept	6'	Purple	24-36"	Nectar	S/PS - MW/M
Hollow Joe Pye Weed	<i>Eupatorium fistulosum</i>	Jul - Sept	6'	Purple		N & H	S/SH - W/MW
Joe Pye Weed	<i>Eupatorium maculatum</i>	Jul - Sept	6'	Pink	3-4'	N & H	S/PS - W/MW
Early Sunflower	<i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i>	May - Oct	5'	Yellow	18-36"	Nectar	S/PS - MW/MD
River Oats	<i>Chasmanthium latifolium</i>	Jul - Sept	3'		12-24"	Host	PS - MW/M
Turtlehead	<i>Chelone glabra</i>	Jul - Sept	5'	Cream	24-36"	Host	S - W/MW
Wingstem	<i>Actinomeris alternifolia</i>	Jul - Oct	8'	Yellow	18-24"	N & H	PS/SH - MW/M
Green and gold	<i>Chrysogonum virginianum</i>	Apr - Oct	6"	Yellow	10"		PS/SH - MW
White Bergamot	<i>Monarda Clinopodia</i>	May - Sept	3'	White		Nectar	PS - MW
Bronze Fennel	<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>	Jul - Aug	5-6'	Yellow	12-18"	Host	S - MW/D
Obediant Plant	<i>Physostegia virginiana</i>	Aug - Sept	2-4'	White/pink	36"	Nectar	S/PS - W/MD
Cutleaf Coneflower	<i>Rudbeckia laciniata</i>	Jul - Sept	3-8'	Yellow	3-4'	Nectar	S/PS - MW
Great Blue Lobelia	<i>Lobelia siphilitica</i>	Jul - Sept	2-3'	Blue	12"		S/PS - MW/W
Mountain Mint	<i>Pycnanthemum muticum</i>	Jul - Sept	2-3'	Pink	24"	Nectar	S/SH - W/D
CODE LOCATION:	SH=Shade W=Wet MW=Mildly wet	M=Moderate	D=Dry	S=Sunny	PS=Partial Sun		